Statement

Allocation, release and expenditure reported by States under ARWSP (DDP) during 2005-06 *to* 2007-08

(Amount Rs. in lakh)

SI. No	States	2005-06.			2006-07			2007-08		
		Allocation	Release	Reported Expenditure	Allocation	Release	Reported Expenditure	Allocation	Release	Reported Expenditure
1	Andhra Pradesh	130.00	1637.00	130.00	53608	53608	1775 00	135200	1352.00	782.59
2.	Gujarat	1153.00	1153.00	1153 00	658.56	329 28	329.28	2445.00	2445.00	859.56
3.	Haryana	78.00	' 700.50	500.99	149963	1499.63	128493	3328.00	3328 00	2481 93
4	Himachal Pradesh	2020.00	1010.00	1013.97	43.86	43.86	0.00	56.00	5600	**2.90**
5.	Jammu & Kashmir	165.00	8250	203.07	161.79	0.00	8158	220.00	22000	59.97
6	Karnataka	2085.00	2085.00	2083.53	2035.40	2635.40	1785.50	3279.00	3279.00	1953.53
7.	Rajasthan	12594.00	12594.00	8159.77	11064.68	10794.94	15029.28	18570.00	18570.00	19562.08
	TOTAL :	18225.00	19262.00	13244.33	20000.00	15239.19	20285.57	29250.00	29250.00	25702.56

As reported by States till 11.04.2008

Job cards in NREGS

2618. SHRI MOINUL HASSAN: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise and district-wise job cards distributed under the National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme; and

(b) whether Government is considering to cover NREG scheme to all districts in the country to ensure one hundred days job to rural unemployed and thus arrest the trend of poverty and malnutrition in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU): (a) State-wise data regarding number of households issued job cards under NREGS is enclosed as a Statement *(See* below).

(b) NREGS has been extended to cover all the rural areas of the country with effect from 1.4.2008. NREGS provides for a legal guarantee of 100 days of wage employment to every rural household in a financial year whose adult members volunteer to do unskilled manual work.

Statement

*NREGA: Status of Jobcard issued (FY*2007-08;

SI.No.	States	Job Cards Issued
I	2	3
1.	Andhra Pradesh	8612273
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	23584

1	2	3
3.	Assam	1385709
4.	Bihar	6915826
5.	Chhattisgarh	2746739
6.	Gujarat	841722
7.	Haryana	158607
8.	Himachal Pradesh	358533
9.	Jammu and Kashmir	278891
10.	Jharkhand	2967361
11.	Karnataka	1464686
12.	Kerala	416648
13.	Madhya Pradesh	7238784
14.	Maharashtra	3118531
15.	Manipur	89329
16.	Meghalaya	121297
17.	Mizoram	89314
18.	Nagaland	70324
19.	Orissa	4036097
20.	Punjab	97132
21.	Rajasthan	2867025
22.	Sikkim	29921
23.	Tamil Nadu	2143961
24.	Tripura	465526
25.	Uttar Pradesh	7259417
26.	Uttaranchal	336729
27.	West Bengal	8517229
	TOTAL :	62651195

Determining the formula of measuring poverty afresh

†2619. SHRI LALIT KISHORE CHATURVEDI: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that various State Governments are demanding to determine the formula of measuring poverty afresh;

(b) whether the present poverty line is below the level of subsistence; and

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi